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SUBJECT: PROPOSED ALL-LATIN ECONOMIC ORGANIZATION

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1. DEPARTMENT WOULD LIKE UPDATE STATUS OF MEXICAN-VENEZUELAN PROPOSAL TO CREATE AN ALL-LATIN ECONOMIC ORGANIZATION, MENTIONED AGAIN IN MEXICAN FOREIGN MINISTER RABASA'S NEWS CONFERENCE ON NOVEMBER 15. (FYI: RABASA REITERATED THE SUPPORT OF MEXICO AND VENEZUELA FOR THE NEW ORGANIZATION, PROPOSED DURING ECHEVERRIA'S LATIN AMERICAN TOUR LAST SUMMER. LATER PRESS REPORTS INDICATE THAT RABASA ALSO ANNOUNCED THE FORMATION OF JOINT VENEZUELAN-MEXICAN "MISSIONS" TO VISIT LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN COUNTRIES IN THE NEAR FUTURE TO STUDY THE POSSIBILITY OF CREATING SUCH AN ORGANIZATION, TO BE KNOWN AS THE SISTEMA ECONOMICA LATINO AMERICANA (SELA).)

2. SPECIFICALLY, WAS JOINT MEXICAN-VENEZUELAN COMMISSION CALLED FOR IN ECHEVERRIA-PEREZ COMMUNIQUE (REF A) EVER ESTABLISHED? DID MEXICAN MINISTER OF NATIONAL PROPERTIES HORACIO FLORES DE LA PENA UNDERTAKE TRAVEL TO OTHER LATIN CAPITALS TO CONSULT ON THE ORGANIZATION AS HE WAS PLANNING TO DO IN LATE AUGUST, ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS? IF SO, WHAT WERE THE RESULTS OF THE CONSULTATIONS?

3. FOR CARACAS: OTHER THAN FOREIGN MINISTER SCHACHT'S COMMENT REPORTED REF (D), HAS GOV ISSUED ANY STATEMENTS ON PROPOSED ORGANIZATION SINCE THE ECHEVERRIA-PEREZ COMMUNIQUE IN JULY? HAS THERE BEEN GOV COMMENT ON FORMATION OF JOINT MEXICAN-VENEZUELAN MISSIONS TO CONSULT ON ORGANIZATION, AS ANNOUNCED BY RABASA?

4. FOR GUATEMALA, KINGSTON, MANAGUA, SAN JOSE, SAN SALVADOR, TEGUCIGALPA: MEXICAN MINISTER FLORES INDICATED IN A NOVEMBER 15 STATEMENT THAT JAMAICA, CUBA, AND "SOME CENTRAL AMERICAN COUNTRIES" ARE WILLING TO JOIN THE PROPOSED ORGANIZATION IN EARLY 1975. HAVE HOST COUNTRY GOVERNMENTS MADE STATEMENTS TO THIS EFFECT OR HELD CONSULTATIONS WITH GOV AND/OR GOM ON PROPOSAL? INGERSOLL

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